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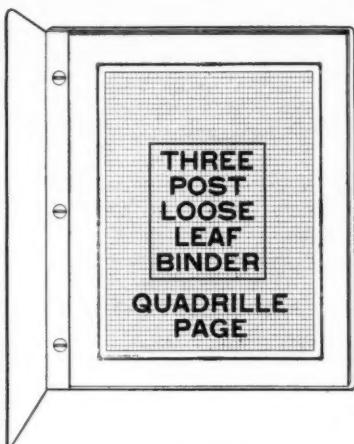
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"Entered as second-class matter March 18, 1929, at the post office at Columbus, Ohio, under the Act of March 3, 1879."

NEWS FLASH—A Commemorative Stamp for Daniel Webster will be issued August 24, 1932. First day at Franklin, N. H. Details later.

Collection of Postal History Data

Following is reprinted from a clipping from a newspaper. The name of the paper was not supplied or we would be glad to give credit. Dr. T. P. Hyatt is a resident of Brooklyn, N. Y., and his collection is such as to be of interest to every stamp collector, and we are glad to give space to this very interesting article.

THIRTY years ago Dr. Thaddeus P. Hyatt, who had been collecting stamps for years, was asked to deliver the first lecture in the new philately section of the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences. He thought it would make his talk more interesting if he had some illustrations showing the development of the postal system, but when he sought for pictures he found there were only three photographs of New York post offices to be found and they were owned by a man who wouldn't loan them, even for lecture illustrations.

Dr. Hyatt managed, however, to gather sufficient facts to please and satisfy his audience, but his collecting instinct had been spurred and he seriously began to collect books, pictures and documents relating to the postal service, not only in this country but abroad. As a result, after three decades of research, he has amassed a library and museum, not only unique, but valued at thousands of dollars. His only regret is that others have not begun to follow his hobby, as he has duplicates of some of his best items that he'd like to exchange.

A librarian has been working for fourteen months cataloging the thousands of items, and isn't nearly through yet, Dr. Hyatt will tell you. The museum occupies an entire room in his home at 1169 Eighty-third street, Brooklyn. As far as he knows he is not only the pioneer in this field, but the only collector of postal lore in the world. He has between 7,000 and 8,000 separate items.

Pictures of New York Post Offices

Included in the collection is a series of pictures of New York post offices, many of them dating from the time the buildings actually were in use, from 1664 when the office was established under Gov. Stuyvesant, right

down to the present time. Only one is missing and Dr. Hyatt is keeping a close lookout for that. It is a picture of the first branch post office located at Chatham Square for two years about 1847 or 1848.

Following the fire in 1835, the New York Post Office was moved from the Merchants Exchange to City Hall Park. After awhile numerous citizens complained that the new location was too far uptown, and in 1847 the Post Office was moved to the Middle Dutch Church, at Cedar and Nassau streets, and maintained the Chatham Square branch for two years.

About the same time The Sun printed an illustrated article suggesting that City Hall be extended back to Chambers street and the new addition be used for a post office. Dr. Hyatt has a newspaper clipping in his collection showing the proposed addition. He paid 5 cents for this item a few years ago, and says he hurried as fast as he could once he got out of the shop for fear the dealer who sold it to him would call him back and cancel the sale.

Many Famous Autographs

Many autographs of famous persons are included in Dr. Hyatt's collection. One is a bill in George Washington's handwriting, dated September 3, 1773, for postage that Col. Fairfax owed him.

Dr. Hyatt was born in Elizabeth, but spent the first six years of his life in France, where his father, Thaddeus Hyatt, was an American consul. He was educated in England and received his degree in dentistry at the New York College of Dentistry now a part of New York University. He is a fellow of the American College of Dentists and widely known for research in the field of dental surgery.

"It has been the prerogative of governments since the beginning of postal services to open letters which they

fearred might carry information harmful to them," said Dr. Hyatt yesterday. "In 1640 in Yorkshire, England, a lawyer named John Hill started a penny post, charging tuppence for a letter to Scotland and fourpence for one to Ireland. This was stopped by soldiers of Oliver Cromwell, who feared that contents of these letters might be contrary to England's first and only near-republican form of government.

"Hill was driven out of England, but returned following Cromwell's fall. In 1659 he printed a circular entitled 'penny post, a vindication of the liberty and birthright of every Englishman in carrying merchants' and other men's letters against the restraint of farmers of such employment.'

Three Copies of Old Leaflet

"There are three copies of this leaflet in existence. One is in the British Museum, in poor condition, a second is owned by Columbia University, but I understand its margins are very shallow. The third is here."

And Dr. Hyatt drew out a yellowed circular that had survived 273 years of existence and appeared little the worse for the experience.

Dr. Hyatt has several of the original bills of William Powlett, first Marquis of Winchester, a king's messenger employed to deliver messages for Queen Elizabeth between 1562 and 1569. He also has several original orders issued by John Palmer, British Comptroller-General of the Post in the latter part of the eighteenth century; a complete set of the annual reports of the British post office from 1856; many similar reports issued by the United States post office and a large collection of magazine and newspaper articles dealing with postal lore.

One item that is a source of particular pride to him is the only known copy of a British booklet published in 1680 by one Thomas James, London

printer, in which there is a plea for cheap and universal postage. He got on the track of that when looking over a magazine edited by Charles Dickens in which reference was made to this pamphlet, which bears the flowery name of "A Penny Well Bestowed."

Present at First Mail Flight

On September 11, 1911, Dr. Hyatt was present when the first United States mail airplane left Garden City. By a coincidence the machine, piloted by Earl Ovington, was named "The Dragon Fly," which was the title of a book on aviation written by Dr. Hyatt's father in 1882. The latter, an inventor of some note, offered a prize of \$1,000 in 1856 for the man who invented a heavier-than-air flying machine. His son chuckles as he tells of the controversy stirred up by his father's offer, and the fact that as his father predicted, the son has lived to see air mail an established fact.

A water-stained envelope which was on the ill-fated America when Admiral Byrd took off for Europe, another that was aboard the Graf Zeppelin on her first round-the-world flight, one that the late Carl Ben Eason carried in his first flight with the Alaska air mail, and many other priceless items are in Dr. Hyatt's treasured collection.

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INTERVIEWS WITH STAMP PORTRAITS

By Capt. A. C. Townsend

Yes, I am Governor Joseph West, and I am the white man shown on that stamp issued April 10, 1930, to commemorate the 250th anniversary of the founding of Charlestown, S. C. Do you really want to know what I think of it? Come over back of that large tree.

Oh, come on! I'm not going to play any Indian tricks on you. I'll put up my sword. I just want to get where none of the other Shades can hear what I say. I have to stand for enough kidding from them already.

Now! You know that the Spaniards first tried to settle the Carolinas in 1520, but went on and stopped at St. Augustine. You know that the French tried to settle in 1562, but the settlement was a failure. Then the English came along in 1670 and made the first permanent settlement.

What the English settle stays settled—that is, with the possible exception of war debts.

Well, we settled down in the mud across the river from the present Charlestown, and after ten years we dug ourselves up and moved across the river and set up Charles Town, and there it has been ever since.

And I am shown on that ridiculous stamp—at least I am told it is meant for my picture, but even with a magnifying glass I can't recognize myself. Anyway, I am shown with my back turned to an Indian and pointing towards the ground with my sword. Apparently I am pointing out a place for those two ships in the background to come up and beach themselves, or else I am showing the Indian where to dig for clams so we can have a clam bake ready for the people on the ships.

That Indian's name was Shaddoo, a local chief, and I had made friends with him and his tribe, but don't you ever believe I turned my back on him or any other Indian in that way. Had I done so it might have been "skiddoo" for me! Shaddoo was a friend, but the Indians were mighty nervous and impulsive in those days, and a fine scalp was hard to resist.

Now you take that story and skip out with it, and don't talk to any of the other Shades on the way out, or Cleveland will be around here asking me to take my sword and point out a good place for him to dig for fish-worms.

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UNITED STATES—On plate #20563, upper left pane, of the 7c Bicentennial, Stamp #1, has been discovered an interesting double transfer. It is not a "shifted transfer", but a straight double transfer and a good one. It shows in "GTON" of "Washington—1932" in "T" of "Cents" and on the right side of the oval frame line. Stamp #2 on this same pane has an irregular vertical plate flaw line extending from the "E" of "Cents" up thru the "S" of Washington. It looks like a plate crack.

(Scott's Monthly Journal)

Note: We have two blocks of six in our possession, neither of which shows the double transfer, but both of which show the crack on stamp #2. If any reader has stamp #1, showing the double transfer, we would appreciate the privilege of viewing same for chronicle.

About the time these notes reach our readers, the new 3c Washington will be issued in booklet form, the First Day of Issue to July 26th.

(C. E. Nickles)

Another Bicentennial variety! Plate #20633, 1½c, upper left pane, there appears a distinct scratch running along the top of the plate and turning down over stamp #6 and running thru stamps #7 and #8. It is constant on sheets viewed.

(Lou. F. Marks)

ALBANIA—On the occasion of the inauguration of the new Air Mail, Tirana-Athens-Salonika, the Albanian Post Office overprint the current Air Mail stamps. Details as to the overprint, lacking at this time.

(Whitfield, King & Co.)

AUSTRALIA—We have received a block of six of the 2p. red (Scott's A4) without watermark and we are informed that these are from a sheet without watermark which was accidentally placed in with the ordinary watermarked paper and of this sheet of 480, about 130 stamps are known. Several used copies having been found, all of which bear the postmark of a northern Melbourne suburb, dated July and August 1931.

(Whitfield, King & Co.)

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Cuba #252, mint or used, (Blocks same rate)		.75
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10c each—220, 246, 250, 285-6, 328-9, 367, 370-2, 398, 411-2, 426, 441, 463, 483, 493-5-6, 504-6, 532-7-8, 576, 612-5, 628, 631, 646-7, 650, 662-3-4, 673-4-5.	40c each—183-4, 225, 266, 270-2, 279b, 280, 296, 307-8, 314, 320, 336, 379, 415, 465, 515, 550.
10c each—220, 246, 250, 285-6, 328-9, 367, 370-2, 398, 411-2, 426, 441, 463, 483, 493-5-6, 504-6, 532-7-8, 576, 612-5, 628, 631, 646-7, 650, 662-3-4, 673-4-5.	50c each—158, 207, 226, 252, 273, 287, 297, 337-8-9, 399, 417, 434-5, 466, 516, 531-6, 575, 621, 648, 652, 1305.
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(R. Roberts)

CANADA—Copies are at hand of the Ottawa stamps, as well as the recently overprinted Air Mail commemorating the Conference and also a new postage due.

Ottawa Conference

- 3c. carmine (King George)
- 5c. blue (Prince of Wales)
- 13c. green (Britannia between the two spheres)

Commemorative Air Provisional

- AP2—6c. on 5c. olive brown (blue)
- New Postage Due.
- D2—5c. dark violet

(A. Harold Kirkpatrick)

COLUMBIAN REPUBLIC—The provisional 1c. on 4c. chronicled April 2nd., has been seen recently with the surcharge inverted, so we list:

- Scott's #409—A110—1c. on 4c. deep blue (red)
- a. surcharge inverted.

(Whitfield, King & Co.)

HUNGARY—Patrona Hungariae Commemoratives. Large upright rectangular format. Perf. 12. All same design. Wmk. Scott's Style 110 of the wmkns.

- 1p. bright green
- 2p. carmine rose
- 5p. bright blue
- 10p. bistre brown

(R. Roberts)

INDIA—Travancore. Change in color.

- Scott's A8.—5c. brown (formerly bistre) (Philatelic Magazine)

LITHUANIA—Further details on the new stamps noted last week. Date of issue July 15th. The postage set is in large rectangular pictorial design, while the Air Mail are triangular.

Postage

- 5c. blue & brown
- 10c. violet & yellow
- 15c. violet & green

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- 1L blue & gray
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Air Mail

- 5c. rose & green
- 10c. violet & chocolate
- 15c. blue & brown
- 20c. blue & orange
- 40c. violet & yellow
- 60c. blue & yellow
- 1L. brown & yellow
- 2L. yellow & green

An interesting feature of the 10c. of the Air Mail set, is a map showing the present extent of Lithuania, and indicated by a shading, an additional portion of the adjoining territory they claim to be rightfully theirs. We trust no international complications will result from the implied design.

(K. Lissiuk Philatelic Co.)

NEJD—Scott's Type A6 (Jan. 1932 Scott's Monthly Journal) slightly modified design. Perf. 11½.

- ½g. scarlet
(Gibbons' Monthly Supplement)

NICARAGUA—New design, perf. 12.

- 15c. vermilion
(Gibbons' Monthly Supplement)

NIUE—Two values of the recent pictorial have appeared perf. 14.

- 2½p. slate blue
- 4p. greenish blue
(Gibbons' Monthly Supplement)

PERU—The design on the 4c. chronicled June 25th is OIL WELLS.

(Gibbons' Monthly Supplement)

RUSSIA—We are informed that a Polar flight from Franz-Josephsland to the European Continent will take place some time this month and that two special Russian Air Mail stamps will be issued, 50k and 1r values, the quantity being 10,000 of each value. The design is to show an artistic landscape and a map of the Polar regions.

(Whitfield, King & Co.)

SAMOA—We are advised that the Coat of Arms type of New Zealand are shortly to be overprinted "SAMOA".

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585	3c	.10	586	.03	590	9c	.25	.12
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The Hall under consideration seats about 150 persons and unless Mr. Higgins takes a vacation, we may have to rent a bigger hall outside of Austin, possibly in Cicero. An exhibition will be held and all Democrats are bound under the unit rule to show only Beer and Wine stamps, also Bar and Cork cancellations. Others may show their Sudan's or Nyassa's. The weather still being rather warm in September, we do not intend to show any covers until the first cool spell arrives.

A collection of broken plates will be shown, but all bachelors are excluded as they never washed dishes and do not understand what caused all the plates to be broken. If the Austin Police do not interfere we will have a guessing contest, the winners can choose between three pieces of merit and value as follows:

1. A block of 4 of the 5c coil Scott No. 458.

2. A strip of three of the 4 Fr. Belgium No. 221.

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—V. J. Molitor.

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K. M. GIERHART, BALTIMORE, OHIO

Only one Olympic precancel submitted thus far. Where are they? Lets hear about them. The Western Stamp Collector magazine lists the 5c from Pawtucket, R. I. Did not state type or anything else about it.

Leland B. Davis of Columbia, Calif., submitted an unlisted classic so to speak. It was a 6c perf. 12, 1912-15 issue from Westbrook, Me. in type II.

The Youngstown, Ohio, 30c shift spoke of a few weeks ago is owned by Frederick Hambrock, Jr., of Toms River, N. J. It is a very nice copy.

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OUR APOLOGIES Since the publication of our issue for July 9, probably a dozen letters have been received from subscribers, severly condemning us for printing the Picture of a great Stamp Collector, who has been nominated for President of the United States, and for calling attention to the fact that a vast number of stamp collectors would be pleased to see Mr. Roosevelt elected as President of the United States.

We realize fully that there are a large number of stamp collectors who will not feel friendly toward Mr. Roosevelt for political reasons but political matters were far from our mind in printing the picture of Mr. Roosevelt and in offering through advertisements, pictorial envelopes and poster stamps. Had Mr. Hoover been a stamp collector, we would have prepared the same things for him and offered them in the same manner, for be it known, the editor voted for Mr. Hoover at the last election.

That we voted for Mr. Hoover at the last election and because we will doubtless vote for Mr. Roosevelt at the coming election is sufficient proof that we have no politics.

We have no wish to mix into politics, we have little respect for politics or politicians, politics is a business, the men who run for office and who hold public office make it a business and that is the reason we have little respect for politics and politicians. Long ago, we forgot that we were born a Democrat. We have cast our vote for the man, regardless of party for many years and hope to keep on doing so.

From our personal observation, neither party will give the people much that is not given by the other party. It makes little difference to the average citizen whether our president is Democrat or Republican. Both parties have forgotten their principles and it is for this reason that we prefer to pick what we believe the most desirable man from any party when casting our vote. It is not our fault that we must make such a confession. The fault lies with the men who make politics their business.

Our business is publishing a weekly paper for stamp collectors. It is also to print and produce material that is in demand by collectors of stamps and kindred hobbies. We had foresight enough to believe that a Roosevelt poster stamp and a Roosevelt Pictorial envelope would appeal to stamp collectors and especially to collectors of Historical covers. For that reason we prepared and offered them and the sale to this date has justified our belief. It is strictly business proposition.

On the other hand, the fact that a candidate for the Presidency of the United States is a stamp collector is of immeasurable value to Philately. We have read columns of hoey about the crowned heads of Europe who are stamp collectors and if that sort of stuff makes good reading for stamp collectors then something about a candidate for the presidency of the United States, who is a stamp collector, should also make good copy. We hope to be able to print something about Mr. Roosevelt and his stamp collection. If such material that we may be able to print is looked upon as political propaganda then we can only blame Mr. Roosevelt for being a stamp collector.

We are accused of making this paper a political sheet, when as a matter of fact it is the dozen men who have written us on the matter who are injecting politics into the question.

Whatever else our featuring a stamp collector for president, has accomplished, it has given us nationwide publicity which is invaluable to any publication. The Grand Rapids Herald of July 13, devotes its leading editorial, a double width column, almost a half page deep to the trifling question of whether we should or should not have a stamp collector for president. Assuredly, this is sufficient proof for anyone that there is no serious issue in the campaign when a staid old republican newspaper such as this one can find nothing more elevating to discuss in its leading editorial than a matter of this sort. Perhaps, however, the Herald has been unable to find any real serious issues in the campaign and has grasped upon this one for lack of something better.

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PERHAPS IF THE EDITOR OF THE Grand Rapids Herald were a stamp collector he would spell it Paraguay instead of "Paraguay". Stamp collecting has some good points.

THE EDITOR OF THE G. R. H. calls it Nonsense, that a Stamp Collector should be featured for President just because he is a stamp collector. We remember four years ago when much ado was made over the fact that Mr. Hoover was an engineer.

THERE IS ALWAYS SOME CONSOLATION in the mail that carries letters of condemnation, for while some have condemned us, others have highly approved the activity we have put forth in featuring a stamp collector for president. These letters are all from Republicans or Democrats. Our activities are strictly business, from the standpoint of a stamp collector and publisher so that the applause runs off our feathers just as readily as the mud.

YOUR EDITOR'S FATHER Published his own weekly newspaper before your Editor was born. We have often wished that fate might have kept us in the small town in which we were born that we might have grown up in the environment which appeals to us most.

JACK PEARCE OF ROCHESTER, N. Y., sends a handsome first day rate cover of July 6, with a stork holding the new 3c stamp in its bill. Surely an appropriate and attractive cover.

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Universal Stamp Association will have good cachet during their convention at Warren, Ohio, Aug. 22-24. Covers to B. R. McIntyre, 143 Main Ave., S. W.

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Buro blocks are scheduled for a healthy leap in the No. 10 catalog. This to be expected when one peruses data pertaining to blocks. Some unknown, and many others of which only one, two or three blocks are accounted for.

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NEW 3c BOOKLETS

Announcement was made at the Post Office Department today that the new three-cent stamp book will first be offered for sale at the post office, Washington, D. C., on July 25, and at other offices throughout the country beginning July 27, 1932, or as soon thereafter as distribution can be made.

One size book only will be available containing 12 three-cent stamps to be sold to the public at 37 cents each. It is not the present intention of the Department to issue three-cent stamps in books of other sizes.

The three-cent stamps in the new book will be of the same design as those now being issued in sheets and sidewise coils with the likeness of Washington modeled from the Stuart portrait.

For the benefit of stamp collectors the new three-cent stamp book will be placed on sale July 25 in the Philatelic Agency, Post Office Department, and on the same date at the branch Philatelic Agency which will be operated in the Mayflower Hotel, Washington, D. C. in connection with the annual convention of the Society of Philatelic Americans. However, no special cachet or postmarking stamp will be provided. It will not be possible for the Washington post office or the Philatelic Agency to prepare first day covers with stamps from the new stamp book. It will be necessary for collectors desiring these covers to make private arrangements for this service with local representatives or delegates to the Philatelic convention.

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Third Assistant Postmaster General Frederick A. Tilton who has supervision over the stamp division arranged to ship 3,000,000 one cent stamps by airplane to the New York office. These stamps were delivered at the Newark airport at one o'clock of July 7th. An additional 7,000,000 were forwarded by mail on the same day and another 20,000,000 were to be shipped on the morning of the 8th.

When the 3c rate went into effect, July 6th, the New York office had on hand 20,000,000 one cent stamps so these figures give some fair idea of the vast volume of postage stamps that are required to supply this city.

ASK CAPTAIN TOWNSEND

If you have any questions on any stamp matters that are puzzling you, write to Captain A. C. Townsend, 16 S. Peoria St., Chicago, Ill., for information. Enclose stamp for reply if you wish a prompt and direct reply. Such questions will be filed and catalogued for publication in a proposed book of information for stamp collectors to be published by Linn's Weekly Stamp News.

FROM HARTFORD, CONN.

It is noticed in a recent edition of your breezy new weekly that the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co., is the first Insurance Company to form a Philatelic Society among its employees. I believe that statement should be corrected. The Travelers Insurance Company of this city has had a Philatelic Club for a number of years and last year The Aetna Life Insurance Co., formed a Philatelic Club for the employees interested in the collection of stamps, first day covers, etc., and I am a member of this latter Club. You can therefore see, that the Insurance Companies in Hartford are just a step ahead of those in the larger city of New York.

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